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## WASHINGTON LETTER

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WATSON, D. C., April 2, 1894.

The excitement in Congress over the veto of the Bland Cobell Bill did not seem to the observer as it was a day or two ago, that it is all the same. The silver men are doing more thinking than talking; that's why the excitement is not so apparent. To say what they will do is mere guess-work, they have not decided themselves yet. The talk of putting a free-coinsage amendment on the tariff bill is premature. It will be some weeks before the tariff bill reaches the legislative stage, where amendments will be in order, and careful inquiry among the silver speakers failed to find anybody who would say that he was determined to offer such an amendment. The tariff bill is already too complicated to suit many speakers, and any attempt to further complicate it by the addition of the silver question would almost certainly be antagonized by some of the senators who would otherwise gladly vote for free coining. Representative Bland, speaking for the silver men in the House, has already condemned the idea.

Representative McLaurin, of South Carolina, is at the head of a movement in Congress that is attracting the attention of politicians, although it has not yet passed the formative period. It is for nothing more nor less than the formation of a new political party in the South and West. Mr. McLaurin claims that he has received information which causes him to believe that the new movement would be very popular, if properly launched. Another movement talked about here is a proposed combination of the silver Democrats and Populists in the Congressional election in the South and West.

Senator Stewart opened the tariff debate in the Senate to-day. His remarks differed from the ordinary set speech, in that they were almost wholly devoted to an explanation of the bill. Everybody expects this debate to develop into a long and weary siege with the speaker and his supporters fighting very much in doubt.

Senator Stewart of Nevada has settled all doubts as to where he stands politically by the publication of a letter over his own signature, closing with these words: "As a Populist and belonging to the only party that is unequivocally opposed to the subjection of the people of the United States to the rules of banks and bondholders."

Representative Warner, of New York, is the author of a little pamphlet now being extensively circulated and read in Congressional circles. It is a straightforward-from-the-shoulder attack on the protection given the Sugar Trust by the revised tariff bill. The nature of the attack may be readily understood from the following headings taken from the pamphlet: "Profits and Greed," "Pacific Coast Extortion," "Cholera Exploitation," "Misrepresentations," and "Suppression of Information." Mr. Warner says the figures in his pamphlet are the result of careful and unbiased investigation of sugar-refining at home and abroad.

There is much gossip here concerning Senator Carlisle's visit to New York, which followed close upon Senator Cleveland's veto of the Bland Cobell Bill. Mr. Carlisle says his visit was entirely personal, but it is positively stated that while there he had a conference with Wall Street bankers. That is what started the gossip.

The motion to pass the Bland Bill over the President's veto, which will be made in the House this week, by Mr. Ward, will not be made with any expectation of passing the bill, but merely to complete the record, as it were. The vote by which the bill originally passed the House was 165 to 150, but the motion to pass the bill over the veto will not get so large a vote, as a number of Representatives have already announced that they would return to vote for the motion, and a number who have said nothing will doubtless vote to dodge the vote for reasons of their own.

The House is again arresting members, in order to get a quorum of Democrats present to dispose of the Missouri contested-election case. The filibustering on this case developed several dramatic scenes, with Speaker Crisp and Speaker Reed in the star roles. One of them was almost a reproduction of another that occurred in the Fifteenth Congress when Mr. Reed was in the Speaker's chair and Mr. Crisp one of the leaders of his party on the floor. In both cases the Speaker came out ahead.

Speaker Crisp's declination of the appointment to the seat of the late Senator Colquitt is generally regarded as good politics for his party, which is hardly in a condition to elect another Speaker of the House without adding largely to the existing dissatisfaction, and it is believed

## Newark Presbyterian

The spring meeting of the Newark Presbyterian Church, Newark, Wednesday, the second day, at 10 o'clock, a large number of the members were in attendance. After prayer had been offered, Rev. J. G. Landham was chosen moderator, and Revs. J. O. MacFarland and George A. Paul were elected assistant clerks.

Considerable routine business was transacted, and then Rev. Alfred Nicholson, former pastor of the North Park Presbyterian Church, had his connection with the Newark body severed, so that he could accept a charge in Elizabeth and become a member of the Presbyterian Church of that city.

Rev. Henry W. Ballantine, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in this town, received a call from his pastor, the Rev. H. W. Selbert, Ph.D., at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday-school at 12 M.

Young People's Prayer-meeting at 6:45 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

The question of who shall be Presbyter of the First Presbyterian Church in this town, received a call from his pastor, the Rev. H. W. Selbert, Ph.D., at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday-school at 12 M.

Young People's Society, Friday, at 8 P. M.

Young Men's Christian Association meets on Thursday evenings at 8 P. M.

Methodist Episcopal.

The Rev. R. C. Collins, pastor, 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., preaching services.

Wesleyan League-Prayer-meeting at 6:45 P. M.

Garden Theatre.

Kiliany's original living pictures, which so ingeniously into Mr. E. E. K. gay and gorgeous burlesques, the new "1902," in the Garden Theatre, continue to be in somewhat hackneyed but expressive phrase, "the talk of the town." While they quicken the pulse of the base man about town, he does not hesitate to have them seen by his wife, daughter or sister. The Garden Theatre never before held such big audiences as are flocking there, and they now included more fashionable and refined people.

Local artists like J. Flynn Murphy and Bruce Crane have opened in their houses the night before.

The house nightly resounds with applause as each visit and beautiful art example is revealed. Two new examples, Kopp's "Flowers" and Thumann's "Three Fates," have been added to the collection this week. Now that these original Kiliany pictures have created such a future, other managers threatened imitation. But Herr Kiliany, through his attorneys, Howe & Hammel, and A. J. Dittmeyer, has published a warning against infringement upon his American copyright. Mr. Kiliany's admirable singers and comedians are working together with a great deal of spirit and the burlesque was never performed with more vivacity and humor than now. A souvenir of uncommon value will be given on Monday, April 23, to celebrate the 300th performance. It will be a mammoth statuary group of the characters who constitute the royal family of Spain.

Five candidates for admission to the Presbytery were partly examined in theology and church government, and the examination will be continued this afternoon.

The inerrancy declaration which was introduced at the February meeting of the Presbytery was taken up and occasioned a very spirited debate.

This declaration was in substance applied to certain action by the General Assembly as manifested in the trial of Dr. Briggs. The resolution was introduced by the Rev. Dr. Lampman. On Wednesday, Dr. H. H. H. introduced a resolution of an opposite character, and the Rev. Dr. Stithen on behalf of the conservatives voted for it.

An important clause of it reads as follows: "Resolved, That this Presbytery informs those under its care that while judicial decisions by the General Assembly, or by binding upon the church rulers by a subsequent assembly, its doctrinal declarations, until endorsed by a constitutional number of the presbyteries throughout the church in the regular and constitutional manner, are not of the nature of formulated law, but are only the expressions of the opinions or advice of the General Assembly, and have no binding force whatever, except as they appeal to the individual conscience in the sight of God."

Protective Association.

A number of the local business men in this town held a meeting in the rooms of the Bloomfield Building and Loan Association on Thursday night and discussed the formation of a business men's protective association. A committee was appointed on organization and another committee to solicit membership.

The meeting adjourned until next Thursday evening.

One of the local business men says with respect to the object of the association that it has become absolutely necessary to take some step for protection against imposition. Many of the store keepers and others have given a large amount of credit on account of hard times. When they ask for the money the debtor feels indigence, and goes to some other store and opens another account. The association will endeavor to prevent this. A man who owns one grocery or coal dealer in town will not be trusted by another.

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